

## Application of root finding - ion concentration

while trying to find the acidity of a saturated solution of magnesium hydroxide in hydrochloric acid, we derive the equation

$$\frac{3.64 \times 10^{-11}}{[H_3O^+]^2} = [H_3O^+] + 3.6 \times 10^{-4} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

for the hydronium ion concentration  $[H_3O^+]$ .

To find the value of  $[H_3O^+]$ , set  $x = 10^4 [H_3O^+]$

$$\Rightarrow [H_3O^+] = \frac{x}{10^4} = x \cdot 10^{-4}$$

$\therefore$  (1) becomes

$$\frac{3.64 \times 10^{-11}}{x^2 \times 10^{-8}} = x \cdot 10^{-4} + 3.6 \times 10^{-4}$$

×ing by  $x^2 \cdot 10^8$

$$3.64 \times 10^{-3} = x^3 \cdot 10^{-4} + 3.6 \times x^2 \cdot 10^{-4}$$

×ing b/s by  $10^4$

$$3.64 \times 10 = x^3 + 3.6x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 + 3.6x^2 - 36.4 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } f(x) = x^3 + 3.6x^2 - 36.4$$

$$f(2) = -14 < 0$$

$$f(3) = 23 > 0$$

$\therefore$  Root lies b/w (2, 3)

Let  $x_0 = 2.5$

Using Newton Raphson method

$$x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} = 2.5 - \frac{f(2.5)}{f'(2.5)}$$

$$f(x) = x^3 + 3.6x^2 - 36.4$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 7.2x$$

$$x_1 = 2.5 - \frac{1.725}{36.75} = 2.45306$$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = 2.45237$$

$$x_2 = 2.45306 - \frac{f(2.45306)}{f'(2.45306)} = \cancel{2.45167}$$

$$x_3 = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)} = 2.45237$$

$$x_2 \approx x_3$$

the root is  $2.4524 \approx 2.45$

$$[H_3O^+] \approx 2 \times 10^{-4} = 2.45 \times 10^{-4}$$

## Finding a projectile's height from its acceleration, initial velocity & initial position

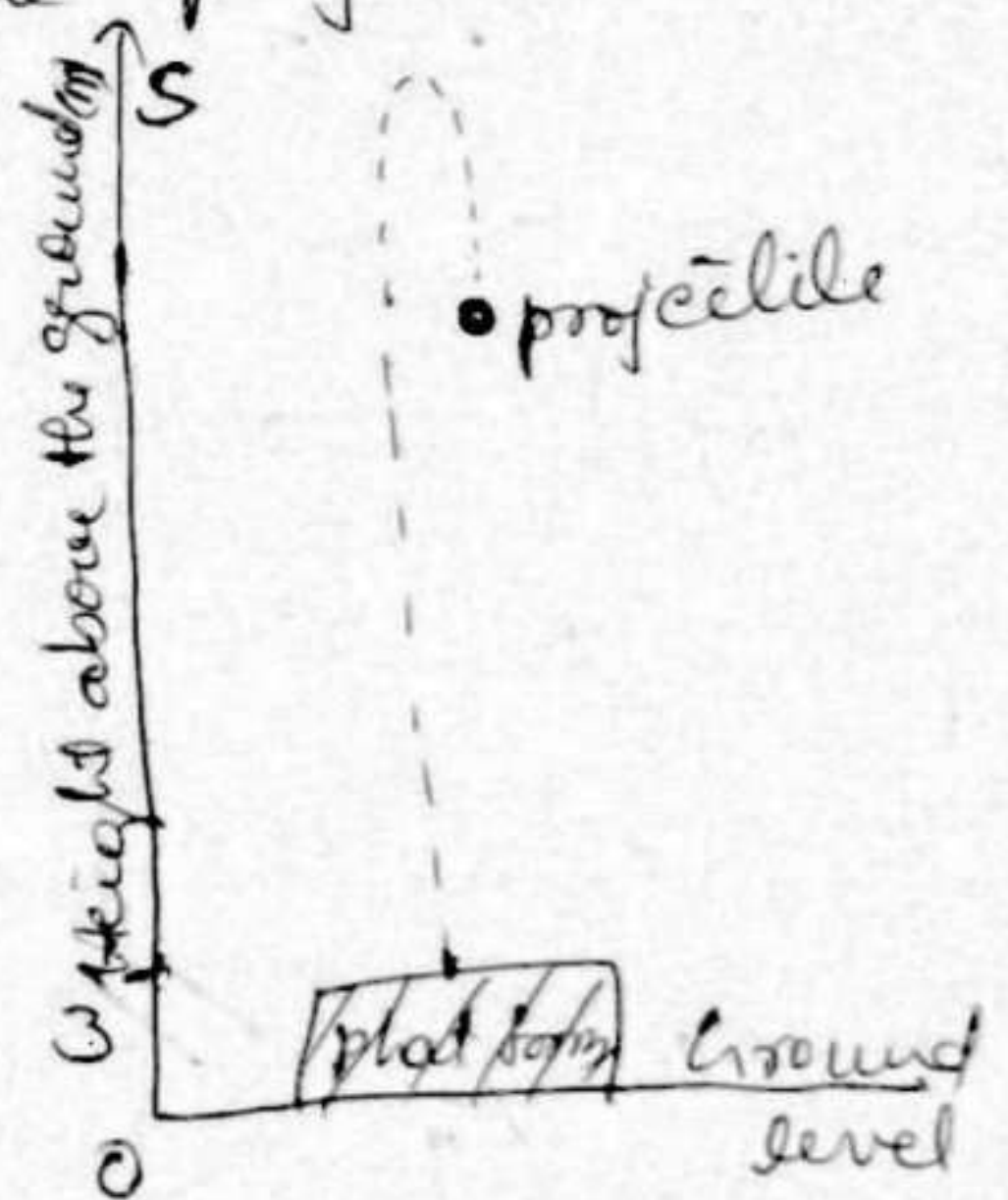
A heavy projectile is fired straight up from a platform 3m above the ground, with an initial velocity of 160 m/sec. Assume that the only force affecting the projectile during its flight is from gravity, which produces a downward acceleration of  $9.8 \text{ m/sec}^2$ . Find an equation for the projectile's height above the ground as a function of time  $t$  if  $t=0$  when the projectile is fired. How high above the ground is the projectile 3 sec after firing?

Sol Draw figure, let  $s$  denote the projectile height above the ground @ time  $t$ . We assume  $s$  to be a twice differentiable function of  $t$  and represent the projectile's velocity & acceleration with the derivatives

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} \quad \& \quad a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2s}{dt^2}$$

Since gravity acts in the direction of decreasing  $s$  in our model, the initial value problem to solve is:

$$\text{The differential eqn: } \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} = -9.8$$



the initial conditions:  $\frac{ds(0)}{dt} = 160$  &  $s(0) = 3$ .

we integrate the D.E w.r.t  $t$  to find  $\frac{ds}{dt}$

$$\int \frac{d^2s}{dt^2} dt = \int (-9.8) dt$$

$$\frac{ds}{dt} = -9.8t + C_1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Apply initial condition to find  $C_1$ , i.e. put  $\frac{ds}{dt} = 160$  &  $t = 0$  in eq (1)

$$160 = -9.8(0) + C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 = 160, \text{ using in (1)}$$

$$\frac{ds}{dt} = -9.8t + 160 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

integrate eqn (2) w.r.t  $t$

$$s = -9.8 \frac{t^2}{2} + 160t + C_2$$

$$s = -4.9t^2 + 160t + C_2 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Apply second initial condition to find  $C_2$ : i.e. put  $s = 3$  &  $t = 0$  in eq (3)

$$3 = C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 = 3, \text{ using in (3)}$$

$$s = -4.9t^2 + 160t + 3 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

To find the projectile height 3 sec into the flight put  $t = 3$  in eqn (4)

$$\therefore s = \underline{\underline{438.9 \text{ m}}}$$

## Counting Principle

### Sum rule & Product rule

1. Suppose a hotel library has 12 books on Mathematics, 10 books on Physics, 16 books on computer science & 11 books on Electronics.

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### The Sum Rule

Suppose two tasks  $T_1$  &  $T_2$  are to be performed. If the task  $T_1$  can be performed in  $m$  different ways & task  $T_2$  can be performed in  $n$  different ways and if these two tasks cannot be performed simultaneously, the no of ways of performing tasks is  $m+n$  ways.

Ex: Suppose a Hotel library has 12 books on Mathematics, 10 books on Physics, 16 books on computer science & 11 books on Electronics. Suppose a student wishes to choose one of these books for study. The no of ways of choosing two books is  $12+10+16+11=49$ .

## Product rule

If two tasks  $T_1$  &  $T_2$  are to be performed one after the other. If  $T_1$  is performed in  $m$  different ways &  $T_2$  can be performed in  $n$  different ways then both the tasks can be performed in  $m \times n$  ways.

Ex: Suppose person has 8 shirts & 5 ties. then he has  $8 \times 5 = 40$  different ways of choosing a shirt & tie.

## Permutation & combination

### Permutation:

The  $r$  objects can be arranged from  $n$  distinct object referred to as permutation. It is denoted & defined as

$$P(n, r) = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

Ex: How many different strings of length 4 can be formed using the letters of the word FLOWER?

Sol: Given letter word contains 6 letters, all of which are distinct. We need to form a string of length 4. Arrangement of 4 letters out of 6 is given by  $P(6, 4) = \frac{6!}{(6-4)!} = 360$

## Combination:

Selection of  $r$  objects out of  $n$  distinct objects referred to as combination. It is denoted & defined as

$$C(n, r) = \frac{n!}{(n-r)! r!}$$

Ex: A woman has 11 close relatives & she wishes to invite 5 of them to dinner. In how many ways can she invite them if there is no restriction on the choices.

Sol: Since there is no restriction on choice, five out of 11 can be invited in

$$C(11, 5) = \frac{11!}{6! 5!} = 462 \text{ ways.}$$

## Baye's Theorem

### Review of probability

Random experiment the experiment when performed repeatedly giving different outcomes are called as random experiment

Ex: (i) Tossing a coin (ii) Throwing a die

Sample space: the set of possible outcomes in a random experiment is called a sample space which is denoted by 'S'.

Ex: (i) If coin is tossed twice

$$S = \{HH, HT, TH, TT\}$$

(ii) If die is thrown once

$$S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

Event: Any subset 'E' of a sample space 'S' is called an event.

Definition: If S is the sample space and E is the event of favorable case, probability of any event is given by ratio of no of favorable cases & no of possible cases.

$$P(E) = \frac{\text{No. of favorable cases}}{\text{No. of possible cases}}$$

Addition rule: If A & B are any two events of S which are not mutually exclusive then

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

Conditional Probability: If A & B be the two events. Probability of happening of the event B when the event A has already happened is called conditional probability denoted by  $P(B|A)$ .

i.e.,  $P(B|A)$  is probability of B for given A

Multiplication rule:

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B|A) \text{ where } P(A) > 0$$



## Bayes theorem

Let  $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n$  be a set of exhaustive & mutually exclusive events of the sample space  $S$  with  $P(A_i) \neq 0$  for each  $i$ . If  $A \subset \bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i$  with  $P(A) \neq 0$  then

$$P(A_i | A) = \frac{P(A_i) P(A|A_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n P(A_i) P(A|A_i)}$$

① A chance that a doctor will diagnose a disease correctly is 60%. The chance that a patient will die after correct diagnosis is 40%. & the chance of death by wrong diagnosis is 70%. If a patient dies, what is the chance that his disease was correctly diagnosed?

Sol<sup>n</sup>: Let  $A$  be event of correct diagnosis &  $B$  be the event of wrong diagnosis by doctor.  $\therefore P(A) = 0.6$  &  $P(B) = 0.4$   
Let  $E$  be the event that patient dies.

$$\therefore P(E|A) = 0.4 \text{ \& } P(E|B) = 0.7$$

we have to find  $P(A|E)$  & by Bayes theorem,

$$P(A|E) = \frac{P(A) P(E|A)}{P(A) P(E|A) + P(B) P(E|B)} = \frac{(0.6)(0.4)}{(0.6)(0.4) + (0.4)(0.7)}$$

Thus  $P(A|E) = 0.416$ . Chance of patient dies by ~~error~~ if his disease was correctly diagnosed is 41.6%.